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## High Priority given to Millers Road Overpass

The Millers Rd. overpass across the Geelong railway line has been given a higher priority by the railways commissioners.

This means that the overpass may be built sooner.

For some time the project had been pretty low on the list of priorities.

The railways — and the Minister of Transport, Mr. Wilcox — have said they will not give a definite date.

But they have agreed that the rising amount of traffic using the crossing warrants earlier planning.

Cr. C. W. Carlsson said this in his report on the visit to Altona by Mr. Wilcox, and the chairman of the Railways Commissioners, Mr. Brown.

Cr. Carlsson holds the Council's portfolio on transport.

This is Cr. Carlsson's report: On Thursday, October 3, 1968, The Shire President, Cr. Crofts, Councillors Weaver and Carlsson, Shire Secretary, Mr. Waters, and Shire Engineer, Mr. Simmonds, met the Minister of Transport Mr. Wilcox and the Chairman of Commissioners for the Victorian Railways, Mr. Brown, who were introduced to us by Mr. L. Floyd, M.L.A.

The purpose of the visit was to discuss several items concerning transport within the Shire.

**1. Galvin and Paisley Railway Stations.**

Mr. Brown was of the opinion that due to the comparatively small number of rail passengers using Galvin and Paisley railway stations as stopping places, no improvements are contemplated at this stage, other than the erection of an out-building at Paisley Station for use as a toilet. However, after discussions with the Councillors, Mr. Brown agreed to the painting of the existing buildings on both Stations.

Mr. Brown also pointed out that because of the isolated location of Galvin, Paisley and Mobiltown Stations, acts of vandalism are a constant problem, creating above average maintenance.

**2. Millers Road — Grade Separation.**

The greatly increased volume of road traffic using Millers Road as the main artery into and out of Altona, has caused the Victorian Railways Commissioners to review and raise the priority rating regarding the grade separation in Millers Road, adjacent to the P.R.A. Refinery. Although at present no definite or approximate time of commencement of the project can be given, the Minister of Transport has promised to forward to Council in the very near future a comprehensive report indicating when a start may be made on this much needed facility.

**3. Westona Railway Station.**

The Deputation then visited the site for the establishment of Westona Railway Station. It was pointed out that Council had purchased several blocks of

land at considerable expense for this rail extension which will cater for the residents of Altona West. This proposition has been approved by Government. Mr. Brown stated that he could not see any possibility of work commencing on this project until at least 1975, because of lack of funds provided by the Government, for extensions of this nature.

**4. Improved Rail Transport.**

The present facilities were discussed and it was unanimously agreed that the present "Dog Box" carriage trains are a relic of the past and it was hoped that the more suitable "walk-through" carriages would within the relatively near future begin to appear on the Altona line. Mr. Brown agreed that he also disliked the dog-box carriages as they were a constant problem, maintenance-wise through acts of vandalism. It was also intended to implement more through trains on the Altona line as the demand grows.

**5. Car Parking — Altona Station.**

During the tour of inspection, the Councillors discussed with Mr. Brown the subject of car parking at Altona Station. Mr. Brown indicated that as the Railways Department favoured the establishment of car parking facilities for train travellers at suburban stations, an approach by Council to the Railway Commissioners to utilise railway land for a car park at Altona Station would be favourably considered.

It was clearly evident during the discussions with the Minister of Transport and the Chairman of Railways Commissioners that much more is achieved in a short visit than can be in Correspondence.

## ALTONA IS TO BECOME A CITY

The Shire Council on Monday night voted unanimously that the move be made.

Cr. Burns, seconded by Cr. Lynch, moved that the Shire Secretary, Mr. Waters, be instructed to prepare without delay the appropriate petition for submission to the Governor-in-Council for Altona, to be declared a city.

They also moved that plans be drawn up for a celebration.

They moved that the secretary bring out a report on "amendments to the opening day arrangements in the light of the expenditure allocation of \$11,000".

Cr. Burns did not say what these "amendments" could be, or what he had in mind.

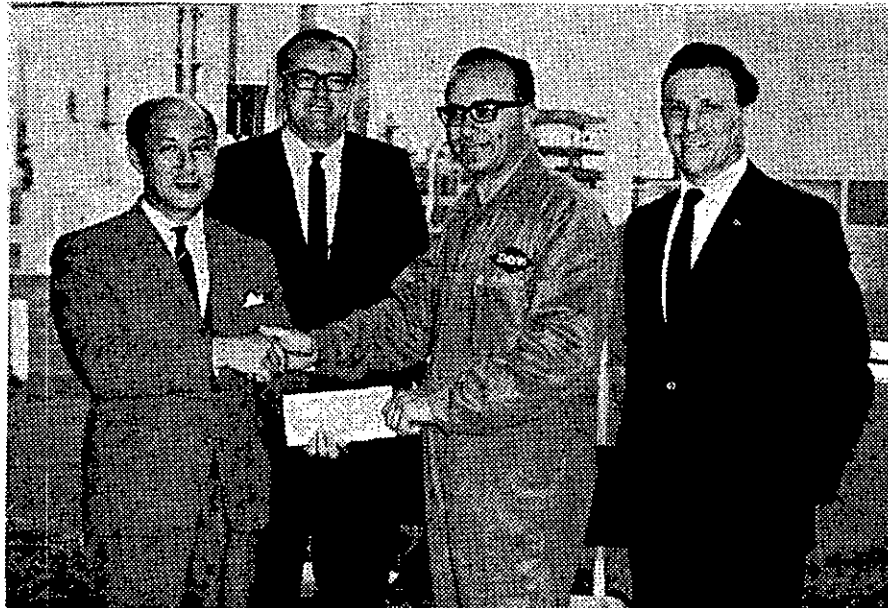
It is believed that if these is no hitch in the move — and none is expected — Altona will be a city before Christmas.

## Elaine McKenna Opens Art Display



Admiring some of the paintings on display are from left to right Mrs. Joyce McGuckian, Miss Elaine McKenna, Cr. P. A. Burns, Mrs. Burns and Mrs. Mary Putkunz.

## THREE QUARTERS OF A MILLION MANHOURS WITHOUT LOST TIME ACCIDENT



Mr. Shee (left), accepts the \$200 cheque for Altona High School from employee Mr. A. Vella. Between them is Mr. C. D. Goodchild and on the right Mr. P. G. Rudland.

## SAFETY RECORD YIELDS \$200

The Altona Factory of Dow Chemical Pty. Limited completed a "lost time injury free period" of 750,000 manhours on September 17. Last week the company recognised this achievement when they made a donation of \$200 to the Altona High School. At the request of the employees the donation was made in lieu of a special luncheon normally provided for them.

On behalf of the Altona High School, Mr. G. L. Shee, Principal, thanked the company and said that the donation would be of valuable assistance to the School in its assembly hall project. He congratulated the employees on their fine safety record.

Mr. F. A. Marriott, General Manager, Victorian Division of the National Safety Council presented the safety pennant and certificate denoting three quarters of a million manhours without a lost time injury to employees of the factory.

## FIRST TIME IN 11 YEARS

For the first time in his 11 years and 14 days with the Shire of Altona the Shire Secretary, Mr. J. W. Waters, has missed a Council meeting through illness.

A victim of the "flu", Mr. Waters was unable to attend Monday's meeting.

## ST. MARY'S ANNUAL FETE

St. Mary's Annual Fete will be held this Friday, October 18, in the Church Hall, Railway Street, Altona, from 1.30 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Paintings, pottery, sculpture, beaten copperware, jewellery, marquetry and floral art were on display at the Art Exhibition presented last Saturday, Sunday and Monday at the Altona Civic Hall by Beta Sigma Phi Mu Chapter.

Most items were for sale but several artists included entries for display purposes only. Among these were several fine paintings.

Sold stickers appeared on a number of the 200 items soon after the official opening on Saturday afternoon by well known television singer Miss Elaine McKenna.

In welcoming all present at the opening, Chapter President, Mrs. Joyce McGuckian, said the success of last year's Exhibition encouraged them to arrange this second one.

She pointed out that Beta Sigma Phi is an international women's organization interested in fostering cultural activities.

By staging the Art Exhibition the Altona Chapter is contributing to the cultural life of the Shire.

Mrs. McGuckian expressed her delight with the standard of entries and thanked the artists for exhibiting at the show.

Mu Chapter also is grateful to the Council for providing the hall and other assistance, said Mrs. McGuckian.

Cr. P. A. Burns, who holds the Altona Council's portfolio for cultural activities, spoke briefly.

He said he felt honoured to have the opportunity of attending the Exhibition. He expressed the wish that Altona citizens would do all in their power to ensure its success to repay Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi for the charitable work they are doing for the Shire.

Vice President of the Chapter, Mrs. Mary Putkunz, thanked Miss McKenna for attending and presented posies of flowers to Miss McKenna and Mrs. P. Burns, wife of Cr. Burns.

Proceeds of the Exhibition are for the Melbourne Ladies Welfare Society.



Employees of Dow Chemical receive the safety pennant from Mr. Marriott, of the National Safety Council. Left to right: Messrs. W. C. Hynds, J. Cocha, G. E. Fisher, A. P. Reid, A. Vella, E. Parson, Mr. P. G. Rudland, Manufacturing Manager, Mr. Marriott, and Mr. C. D. Goodchild, Managing Director.

## EDITORIAL

### RATE REDUCTION

A rate reduction from 13.5 cents to 12.5 cents has been decided by the Altona Council.

It appears however, that because of the upward trend of the revaluation ratepayers financial outlay may in many cases approximate up or down last year's rate payment.

The judgment of the Council in practically maintaining the status quo will be generally welcomed.

There is no doubt that the Council's decision was not lightly made. We know it was reached only after lengthy consideration and debate. We accept it as the Council's view of the present and future financial position of Altona Shire. We welcome it because it means a reduction to the financial burden of some individual ratepayers.

But we will be doing councillors an injustice if we say that relief to ratepayers was the prime consideration. The essential needs of the Shire are the first if not the only criterion.

It may be that in Council's examination of the facts, it was found that certain works though most desirable need not necessarily be done in the ensuing year. But on the other hand, we would expect that all works of which the need for Altona people is established as essential now, shall be not delayed.

We believe that while Council in its decision on estimates and rates must work on a year to year basis, it should also have a long term viewpoint. This is so necessary to give a degree of stability to Council administration.

To best develop the ultimate potential of the Shire, needs forward planning. The short term approach must be taken on efficiency and economy.

Without these factors the Council's decision on rates would not have been possible.

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### ALTONA TENNIS CLUB

A. Grade v. Sunshine Park (Home):

R. Butterfield, R. Graham, M. Kelly, Emerg.: R. Walker, J. Butterfield, L. Butterfield, L. Findlay, Emerg.: O. Kelly.

A Reserve v. A.G.M. (Away):

R. Walker, C. Trickey, J. Trickey, Emerg.: J. Trickey Snr., O. Kelly, P. Trickey, L. Hutton, Emerg.: S. Adcock.

B. Special v. Yarraville

(Away):

J. Trickey Snr., K. Walsh, L. Harrington, Emerg.: W. Thomas, S. Adcock, C. Cronin, B. Angus, Emerg.: C. Thomas.

Bi v. Central (Away):  
W. Thomas, G. Russell, R. Snowling, Emerg.: D. White, M. Orchard, S. Morrow, D. Stephenson, Emerg.: S. Keown.

B2 v. Liston Esplanade (Home):

D. White, G. Wood, C. Sutton, Emerg.: G. Crofts, S. Keown, B. Sandilands, B. Walker, Emerg.: J. Hyde and D. Crofts.

Girls No. 1 v. Liston Esplanade 2 (Home):

J. Critchley, H. Shields, R. Webb, L. Smith, Emerg.: L. Hyde.

Girls 2 v. Liston Esplanade (Garden St.):

L. Hyde, Y. Robertson, J. Wise, B. Colvin, Emerg.: R. Douglas.

Boys 1 v. Liston Esplanade (Home):

R. Groves, E. Valente, G. Crofts, G. Rowe, Emerg.: A. Smith.

Boys No. 2 v. Liston Esplanade (Home):

A. Smith, A. Findlay, M. Penfold, F. Pavatich, Emerg.: G. McDonald. Players unavailable, contact C. Sutton 398-1872 or J. Trickey 398-2746 and also the emergency.

OCTOBER 20, 1968

8.30 a.m. Graham v. Findlay (3 set advantage).

8.30 a.m. J. Trickey Snr. v. Thomas (10 game advantage).

10.00 a.m. Graham v. Findlay (10 game advantage).

10.30 a.m. Butterfield v. J. Trickey Snr. (3 set advantage).

11.00 a.m. C. Trickey v. R. Walker (3 set advantage).

### Miller - McClean Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Miller of Grieve Highway, Altona, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Beverley, to Philip, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. McClean of Civic Parade, Altona.

### GIRLS GYMNASIUM DISPLAY

Tickets are now available for Altona Presbyterian Girls Gymnasium Display on November 8, at the P.R.A. Hall, commencing at 7.30 p.m.

Full dress rehearsal is on October 28 at the P.R.A. Hall at 4.15 p.m.

### KOORINGAL GOLF CLUB

Results:  
4. B.B.B. — E. Wolter and K. Cameron — 8 up.  
SUNDAY, 13-10-68  
Stableford: P. Linquist, P. Williams — 37 Points.  
1958-69 Club Championship won by L. Moore.  
"B" Grade Championship won by P. Grant.  
"C" Grade Championship won by A. Linquist.  
Junior Championship won by R. Patton.

### ASSOCIATES

OCTOBER 15, 1968.  
Stroke:  
"A" Grade: Mrs. F. King (19) — 73 nett.  
"B" Grade: Mrs. A. Stewart (25) — 73 nett.  
"C" Grade: Mrs. C. de Rose (35) — 67 nett.  
Senior Women's Trophy: Mrs. F. King (19) — 73 nett on C/B from Mrs. A. Stewart.

### FLAT BUILDING BOOMS

Flat building is booming in Altona. The number of flats begun last financial year was four times as many as that begun in the preceding year.

The Shire building surveyor, Mr. A. Beech, says the trend will continue until stricter building codes are enforced.

Mr. Beech said:

Building progress throughout the Shire has maintained a steady increase during the preceding 1967/68 Financial Year.

The volume of Flat construction shows that rapid development in residential flat units is occurring and that this trend of development will continue until regulatory controls exceeding the present provisions of the Uniform Building Regulations can be imposed.

A substantial increase in the value of building work for which permits have been issued has increased 55% on the 1966/67 Financial Year and the numbers of residential buildings and value of building work are listed hereunder.

	1966/67	1967/68	Increase
Number of Dwellings	275	345	70
Number of Flat Units	29	135	106
Value of all Building Works	\$3,541,504	\$5,510,390	\$1,968,886

### ALTONA NORTH LITTLE ATHLETICS CLUB

A day of falling records for Altona Nth was last Saturday, October 12. The 93 members of the Club already are proving to be a threat to the stronger Clubs of last season.

Nine year old Nicole Whitman broke three records. She jumped 1.13 in the High Jump to better the previous record by one centimeter. In the first heat of the Under 10 200 metres Nicole took eight tenths of a second off the previous record with a time of 31.9. Also in her 400 metres walk event she set a record of 2.32.6.

Other winners for the day were:

BOYS:

U. 9 200 m. — A. Alexander.

Hurdles 60 m. — S. Hartley, S. Stewart.

U. 10 Hurdles — D. Margo, J. McDonald, P. Hargreaves, B. Jepson, W. Brookes.

U. 11 100 m. — B. Sellman.

U. 12 100 m. — A. Yates, N. Charman.

GIRLS:

U. 11 Walk — C. Harris. Also created a record.

U. 12 75 m. — L. Brosnan.

### Youth Club Basketball team in 1 pt. Win

Last Thursday night the Altona Youth Club basketball team played A.N.Z. (2) in a good standard and very close game, running out winners by 1 point.

A very unimpressive first half saw both teams take a break at 10 points each. But the second half saw lots of fire and brimstone with Bill Barlow and John Karpinski for Altona, giving ANZ really strong opposition and making them work hard for every basket. The rebounding strength in Chris Malberg and Brian Machonachie held ANZ down to a final score of 27-26.

Scorers: F. Karpinski 8, W. Barlow 7.

### RESULTS OF COLOURING COMPETITION

The Altona High School ran a colouring competition in conjunction with their fete last Saturday. Entries were judged by Mr. Martin Jones, Art teacher.

Results were:  
5-6 yrs. Ivan Hartley.  
7-8 yrs. Tina Williams.  
11 yrs. Karyn Faichney.  
12 yrs. Leanne Webb.



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18 —

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8 p.m.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19 —

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26 —

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DANCE

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### Church Notices

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Cordially welcomes you to all meetings.

Services: 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Communion: First Sunday morning and Third Sunday evening.

11.30 a.m.: Junior Christian Endeavour.

2.30 p.m.: Intermediate Christian Endeavour.

7 p.m.: Evening Service.

Minister—Pastor R. J. Reynolds, 62 Blyth Street, Altona.

Telephone: 398 2829

### CATHOLIC

St. Mary's

Railway Street, Altona

Masses

Sundays: 7.30, 9 and 10.30 a.m.

Holy Days: 7, 8 a.m. and 6 p.m.

First Fridays: 7 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Saturdays: 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Confessions

Eve of Holy Days: 7 p.m.

Eve of First Fridays: 7 p.m.

First Friday (Maltese): 4 and 5.30 p.m.

Rev. Father J. Nooney, P.P.

Rev. Father M. Kelleher.

St. Mary's Presbytery, Railway Street, Altona. Telephone 398 2964.

St. Joseph's Convent, Sargood Street, Altona. Telephone 398 2686.

### Queen of Peace

Laverton

Masses

Sunday: 7.30 a.m.; 9.45 a.m.; 5.00 p.m.

Weekdays:

Monday, 10.30 a.m.;

Wednesday, 4.30 p.m.;

Thursday, 7.30 p.m.;

Friday, 6.15 p.m.;

Saturday, 8.00 a.m.

Confessions: Before and after Mass.

Fr. V. Rubeo, 21 Elm Street, Laverton — 399 1620

St. Leo's

Corner Mason Street and Fourth Avenue, Altona North

Masses

Sunday: 7.30, 9, 10, 11 a.m., and 6 p.m.

Confessions

Saturday: 10 a.m., and 7 p.m.

Rev. Father J. Kierce, P.P., Rev. Father M. Sultana, Rev. Father G. Calleja, St. Leo's Presbytery, 315 Mason St., Altona North, 3025.

Telephone: 391 3219

### CHURCH OF ENGLAND

St. Eanswythe's

Queen Street, Altona

Sunday Services

8 a.m.: Holy Communion.

9.30 a.m.: Holy Communion (first, third and fifth Sundays). Matins (second and fourth Sundays).

7 p.m.: Evensong.

Sunday School

Sundays at 9.30 a.m.

VICAR — The Rev. John Lawley, The Vicarage, 7 Bent Street, Altona.

Telephone: 398 1005

### St. Clements

First Sunday in the month: Family Service.

VICAR — Rev. Eric Weber, St. Thomas' Church, Werribee.

### ENGLAND CHURCH OF

St. Luke's

Cnr. Blackshaws and Millers Roads, Altona North

Holy Eucharist

Sunday: 9.30 a.m.

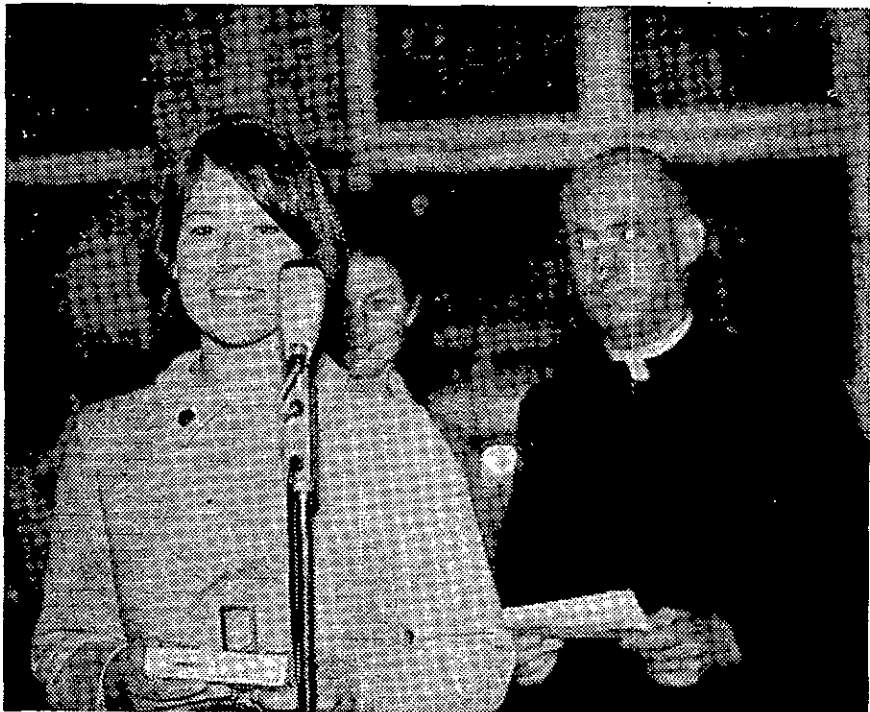
Sunday School: 9.30 a.m.

VICAR — The Rev. Alan Baxter, 408 Blackshaws Rd., Altona North

Telephone: 314 7883



## MISS WALKATHON OF ST. PAUL'S



Miss Lynn Herrick after being named Miss Walkathon St. Paul's College. In back, Miss Lina Massaro. Right, Fr. James Kierce, P.P., St. Leo the Great Parish, Altona North. See story page 4.

## HOVERCRAFT FACTORY SITE REFUSED

A plan has been put forward to erect a hovercraft factory in Altona. But the Council has rejected plans for the factory to be built on Council-owned land between the Altona Working Men's Club and The Pines Scout Camp.

It wants to see plans for an alternative site.

The plans have been put forward by the Australian Air-Cushion Vehicles Development Proposal Organisation.

This Organisation had made representations to the Altona Working Men's Club to use certain land at present leased by the Council to the Working Men's Club and adjacent to the Fore-shore for the development of Air Cushion Vehicles.

The proposal of the Development group was approved at the Annual Meeting of the Working Men's Club on September 18, subject to approval of the Council as owners of the land and Statutory Authorities which may have a control in the area such as the Port Phillip Authority the Lands Department and the Board of Works.

The Australian Air Cushion Vehicles Development Organisation asked the Council for approval in principle to the proposal which will remain in force for about 2 years whilst the development of the vehicle takes place.

The organisation asked for permission to erect a steel clad building of steel frame (a garage type building) with lift up steel doors. The shed will be approximately 25' deep by 19'6" wide and 10' high and set on a concrete floor.

Application was also made for permission to security fence an area about 50' square for the time being.

Location agreed with Working Men's Club was at the eastern end of the land adjacent to the Pines Scout Camp area.

Approval of the Council was sought to the proposal so that an approach can be made to the Statutory Authorities for approval. The Organisation asked the Council to treat the matter as urgent as the vehicle is at the present time stored on a farm property and the lease on the land had run out.

Mr. Chris. Fitzgerald and members of the organisation met the Council's Works Committee on October 7. He showed a 16 m.m. 15-minute sound film on their project, for the development of a commercial type Hovercraft for various purposes.

The film showed experiments carried out and trials over types of land and water, of various air cushion vehicles.

At the conclusion of the film supper was provided and Mr. Fitzgerald advised during discussion that negotiations had taken place with the Working Men's

Club to lease a portion of land on the Altona Sports Park.

At present the air cushion vehicle being used for experiments is housed on a farm in the Otway Ranges.

Cr. Crofts and Weaver moved that the application be refused, but an alternative site would be reviewed.

## LYNDA KEANE TO OPEN CHURCH BAZAAR

Television star Lynda Keane will officially open St. Eanswythe's annual bazaar at 4 p.m. on Friday, October 26.

Lynda can be seen each week day as Ruth in the Channel 2 feature "Bellbird".

The bazaar will be open to patrons from 3 p.m. to 9 p.m. on the Friday, and on Saturday, October 26, from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

As well as the usual fine stalls of clothing, cakes, sweets, books, groceries, plants and White Elephants there will be some special features this year. These will be Punch and Judy shows plus train rides for the children, while their parents shop.

There will also be competitions and opportunities to win prizes the same as other years, so make a date to be at the Bazaar the last weekend in October.

## AMPHOMETER CHECK CATCHES SPEEDING DRIVERS

A number of motorists were fined at Williamstown Court last week when checked for speeding by an amphoter, set up in Millers Road, Altona North, last April.

They were: Saviour Vella of Curlew Avenue, Altona, fined \$15 for doing 45 mph on April 5. His probationary licence was cancelled.

Costas Inglezakis of Belmar Avenue, Altona, fined \$10 and his probationary licence cancelled for doing 42 mph on April 6.

Gerald McCutcheon of Seaholme Avenue, Seaholme, fined \$20 and his probationary licence cancelled for doing 53 mph on April 5.

## CAKE STALL

The Altona Lions Ladies Auxiliary is holding a cake stall in Pier Street, next Saturday morning, October 19.

## ARMY'S WORK IN WEST INDIES



Mrs. Colonel F. Saunders, wife of the Chief Secretary (second in command) for The Salvation Army's Southern Territory, is to speak in Altona of her experiences in the West Indies to which she and her husband were appointed in 1958.

These experiences cover a period of 8 years and relate to happenings in Cuba, Panama, Costa Rica, British Guiana, Trinidad, Haiti, Jamaica, British Honduras, Bahamas and Curacao, which come within the Army command controlled from Kingston, Jamaica, where Mrs. Saunders shared the responsibility of leadership with her husband.

Their two sons and one daughter still serve as Army Officers in the American territory.

Mrs. Saunders is the special guest speaker at the Salvation Army Home League Birthday at 2 p.m. on Thursday, October 24, at The Salvation Army Hall in 108 Queen Street, Altona. This women's meeting is held each Thursday at 2 p.m.

Don't be lonely, make it a date each week, a warm welcome awaits all who come.

## Rotary Governor Addresses Local Club

Mr. Kel Carr, Governor of the Rotary District 280, addressed Altona Rotary Club on Tuesday, during his official visit. The local club is one of 67 Rotary Clubs in this district.

Speaking of the global growth of Rotary, he said: "Rotary is the pioneer of the service clubs and today numbers more than 13,000 clubs with a combined membership of more than 630,000 business and professional men. Spread throughout 143 countries in all parts of the world, Rotary Clubs meet every day of the week and conduct activities to improve their communities, aid youth, elevate business standards and further international friendship and understanding".

Referring to the programme of Kiyosh (George) Togasaki, of Tokyo, President for 1968/69 of Rotary International, Mr. Carr said that Mr. Togasaki had set as his theme for the year the single word "Participate". "He invites us all to do just that in every possible way — in your Club, through your work, in building your community, through international contacts", Mr. Carr said.

During Mr. Carr's visit the Rotary official was given additional information on some of Altona Rotary Club's activities, including the erection of an Information shelter in Civic Parade, Altona, the building of a school in India, and the Vocational service to promote employer-employee relations.

He also outlined other activities of District 280 as a whole, and appealed for greater support for The Rotary Foundation.

## CONCERT

The Parents' & Citizens' Association of the Williamstown High School have organized a concert starring professional artists Tony Fenelon, Helen Driessen Trio, David Johnston and Jack Perry as compere, to be held at the Williamstown Town Hall on Sunday, October 27, at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$1 each. Students and Pensioners — 50 cents.

## SCOUTS LADIES AUXILIARY MEETING

The next meeting of the 4th Altona Scout Ladies Auxiliary will be at the home of Mrs. K. Stevens, Maidstone Street, on Friday, October 25, at 8 p.m. All mothers are welcome and urged to attend.

## FORMER ALTONA RESIDENT IN HOSPITAL

Mr. Barry Flynn of Nyah West is a patient in Epworth Hospital.

Mr. Flynn, a former resident of Altona, is the son of Altona bowlers Ed and Jim Flynn.

## School Library Grants

Three Altona secondary schools received library grants totalling \$1,290 during the 1967-68 year.

They were Altona High \$366.60, Altona North High \$511.20 and Altona North Technical School \$412.20.

## FORTHCOMING STREET STALLS

The following street stall dates have been set:

Altona West State School Mothers' Club: Pier Street, November 16.

Altona District Hospital: Pier Street, October 18.

Altona Baptist Play Centre: Pier Street, November 23.

Lions Club of Altona: Pier Street, October 19.

## Mr. Knight urges establishment of Special School

The establishment of a special school for backward children should be seriously considered by the Minister of Education, said the Hon. A. W. Knight, M.L.C., in the Legislative Council early this month.

Mr. Knight said he appreciates the calls made upon the Education Department but added "The migrant population in the area is increasing, and this creates a strain on the other schools.

At the Altona East school, teachers have done a marvellous job in bringing migrant children up to the standard required in the early stages. Unfortunately, other schools cannot do this because of overcrowding.

There is also the problem of backward children. When the priorities are being set, I ask the Minister to establish this special school for backward children as quickly as possible."

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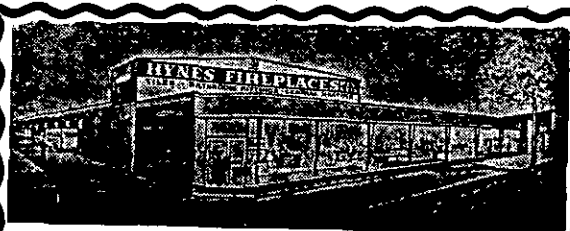
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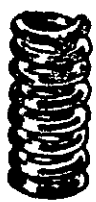
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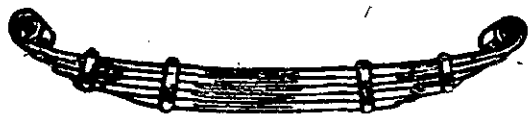
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# "Laverton and Werribee Girls are Walkathon Queens"

Highlighting October 5th's Walkathon at St. Paul's College, Altona North, was naming Lynn Herrick of Laverton Miss Walkathon. Fr. James Kierce, P.P., St. Leo the Great Parish, Altona North, announced Miss Herrick as Quest winner at a barbecue after the Walkathon which raised \$8,000.00 for the college building program. He also announced Cecilia Caffery of Werribee as Walkathon Charity Queen for her outstanding fund-raising efforts.

Title winner Miss Herrick is the sixteen-year-old daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Tony Herrick, Railway Avenue, Laverton. A matriculation student at Mount St. Joseph College, Altona West, she is a House Captain there and for her academic achievement recently won an Exchange Studentship from the Altona Rotary Club which entitles her to go to America next year for studies.

A member of Queen of Peace Catholic Church, Laverton, Lynn is active in the Y.C.S. (Young Christian Students) organization there. She has two brothers, one, Paul, in Form IV at St. Paul's College.

Lovely Miss Lina Mas-saro, entrant in the 1969 Miss Victoria Quest, presented Lynn with an inscribed silver tooled plaque as a memento of her being chosen Miss Walkathon.

Ten other finalists in the Miss Walkathon Quest were: Diane Barlow, sixteen, Kingsville; Nives Bernard, fourteen, Williamstown; Kris Clough, eighteen, Altona; Linda Davis, fourteen, Yarraville; Sandra Hayes, fifteen, Altona; Morag Hutcheon, fifteen, Altona; Suzanne Littleton, sixteen, Laverton; Margaret McGowan, thirteen, Newport; Christine Staszewski, fifteen, Newport; and Sofia Zarebski, fourteen, Yarraville.

### CHARITY QUEEN

Cecilia Caffery won the title Walkathon Charity Queen for gaining the greatest sponsorship in the St. Paul's College Walk. By getting ordinary ten cent per mile sponsors for the thirteen mile walk, Cecilia totalled up \$47.00, as much as both her brothers, St. Paul's students, put together.

Sixth grader at St. Andrew's School, Werribee, Cecilia is a Girl Guide and a member of the St. John's Ambulance. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Caffery of Morris Road, Werribee. Her brothers, John and Arthur, are in Forms III and I respectively at St. Paul's College. She has another brother, Terry, and sister, Josephine.

Beautiful Miss San Remo, Josephine Rampolla, presented Cecilia with an inscribed silver tooled plaque. This plaque and a similar one presented to Miss Walkathon, were made available by A. and M. Salera's Jewellers, Hopkins Street, Footscray.

After the presentations, Fr. Daniel Winters, S.M., Headmaster of the Altona North Regional College, congratulated both Miss Herrick and Miss Caffery. He then went on to thank the crowd of over 1,000 for their support of the Walkathon and attendance at the barbecue.

### WALKATHON RETURNS

Co-ordinator of the Walkathon, Mr. Paul White, expressed his hope that all walkers would be able to collect from their sponsors and make all returns of money before October 20.

Returns for the Walkathon or further donations towards it can be made directly to the College, through a student of St. Paul's, or

through any one of the following: Richie Ford, 17 Blyth Street, Altona (398-2519); Mr. Jack Crawford, 32 Eames Avenue, Brooklyn (314-0451); Mr. Les McMahon, 402 Geelong Road, West Footscray; Mrs. Colleen Littleton, 18 Hefferman Street, Laverton; Mrs. Norma Austin, 197 Woods Street, Newport (391-3621); Mr. Kevin Moylan, 3 Sutton Street, Altona North (391-3301); Mr. Joseph Tyrrell, 48 Chandler Street, Williamstown (397-6571); or Mrs. Rosemary Jury, Wattle Avenue, Werribee (7111-66).

## BABY SHOW AT BROOKLYN ON SATURDAY

The Brooklyn Pre-School Centre are holding a Baby Show in the Youth Hall, Nolan Avenue, (next to Kindergarten) on Saturday, October 19.

Sections in the following order, commence at 1 p.m. sharp.

Birth to 6 mths.  
6 mths to 12 mths.  
1 yr. to 2 yrs.

2 yrs. to 4 yrs.

Section for Twins.

Junior Miss and Junior Master to be judged at approx. 3 p.m.

Entries will be taken from 12 noon only, 50c per entry.

There will also be a Baby Photo Section at 25 cents per entry.

Afternoon tea will be available.

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## LOCAL SENIOR SCOUTS QUALIFY IN CIVIL DEFENCE COURSE

Four Altona Senior Scouts participated in a seven week First Aid Course conducted by the Footscray Civil Defence Organisation. This was a Footscray District Senior Scouts' Project.

The Seniors underwent instruction and examinations by medical officers and doctors and were successful in passing all prescribed subjects in the course which was instructed by Dr. S. East.

They were presented with their certificates on September 27, by His Worship the Mayor of Footscray, Cr. R. Bassett.

The qualifying Seniors were: John Wilson, Ralph Barrows, Ian McLennan and Geoffrey Carruthers.

## Laverton Guides and Brownies News

The Laverton Girl Guides and Boy Scouts Combined Committees are holding a fete in their grounds on Saturday, November 9. There will be the usual stalls and attractions, plus afternoon tea will be served. A small flower show will be held in conjunction with the fete.

The girls will be having a field day at Gisborne on Saturday, October 19, leaving the Guide Hall at 9 a.m.

A flower arranging demonstration will be held in the home of Mrs. Green, 58 Maher Road, on Tuesday, October 29, at 8 p.m. Admission is 50c and supper will be served.

## Shire President to Open Fete

The Shire President, Cr. W. L. J. Crofts, will open a fete on Saturday, October 19, being held at 384 Blackshaws Road, for the Altona North Pre-School Centres.

The fete will commence at 9.30 a.m. Amusements will include "Roaring Regie" train-rides and hayrides. There will be cake, clothing, toy stalls, etc., plus hot dogs, drinks and sweets.

## PIGEON RACING

5,860 birds were liberated at 7.00 a.m. in slight South-westerly winds, at Hillston, 325 miles.

Placings were:  
1st: D. Siphorp, 1.150 ypm.  
2nd: Atkinson & McGraw, 1.141 ypm.  
3rd: R. Mizzi, 1.136 ypm.  
4th: L. Hopper, 1.127 ypm.  
5th: J. & N. Walsh, 1.126 ypm.

## WESTONA LITTLE ATHLETES

Westona Little Athletics filled thirteen first placings in track events at last Saturday's track and field meeting.

R. Douglas in winning the 800m. and 100m. showed he once again this year, will be trying for the Victorian Championships. Paul Wilscher 10.7 and Glen Rohleder 10.8 fought out a great finish in the 60m. hurdles, these two lads have started the season as they finished it last season, keen track rivals.

First place winners last Saturday in track events were:

Girls U-9 70m.: J. Hill, J. George.

Boys U-12 100m.: R. Douglas, L. Werske; 800m.: R. Douglas.

Boys U-11 100m.: B. Dodd, I. Van Rangelrooy, J. O'Donohue, I. Laidlaw.

Boys U-10 60m. Hurdles: P. Wilscher.

Boys U-9 60m. Hurdles: S. Bazga.

Boys U-9 200m.: C. Ritchie, P. Totney.

There is need of assistance each week by parents or other interested people, at Williamstown Centre, which is situated at Newport oval. The number of children competing each week now, makes it imperative that officials are of sufficient number to enable the programme to be completed on time. Previous experience is not essential, only your attendance and an indication you wish to help.

Parents are reminded that it is their responsibility to get their children to Newport each Saturday. Competitors' parents who attend the competition each week, have mostly stabilized their passenger lists by now, and it is pointed out that unless firm assurance is given by car owners to provide transport for your child, please make your own arrangements.

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# Newport West Wins State Schools Sports Seaholme Second

For the fourth time in eight years Newport West won the Williamstown & Altona District State Schools' annual athletic sports held last week at the Williamstown Cricket Ground.

This school has won in 1962, 65, 67 and 68. Seaholme finished in second place with Werribee, a close third.

A Seaholme student, J. Cassar, won the Best Performance Trophy for boys with his record breaking 880 yards run of 2-32.8 seconds.

The girls' trophy went to Glen Devon hurdler, K. White, who also created a new record. She covered the Under 12 60 yards hurdles in 10.5 seconds.

Mr. C. G. Duffy, president of the W. & A.D. S.S.A., opened the sports.

The grand aggregate shield was presented to Newport West by Cr. M. Robertson.

The thirteen competing schools finished in the aggregate as follows:-

Newport West	57
Seaholme	45
Werribee	44
Altona East	41
Laverton	40
W'town North	39
Glen Devon	36
Altona	29
Williamstown	27
Altona North	23
Altona West	17
Laverton North	11
Newport	6

Placegetters in the events were:

**BOYS:**  
Long Jump —11: 1st A. Muscat (A.E.). 2nd A. Salerno (G.D.). 3rd B. McIntosh (L.N.).

Long Jump —12: 1st S. Hartup (L.). 2nd C. Doherly (A.E.). 3rd F. Seccoulidis (We.).

High Jump —11: 1st H. Wylie (A.). 2nd M. Irvine (L.N.). 3rd K. Papp (N.W.).

High Jump —12: 1st B. Matic (A.W.). 2nd J. Forbes (N.). 3rd K. Waghorne (N.W.).

**FLAT RACES:**  
—8 50 yards: 1st K. Roberts (We.). 2nd M. Cassar (L.N.). 3rd D. Rebaidion (W.).

—9 50 yards: 1st K. Cheswright (A.E.). 2nd S. Sangos (N.). 3rd D. Webb (S.).

—10 75 yards: 1st N. Wittman (L.). 2nd J. Taylor (A.N.). 3rd G. Goding (W.N.).

—11 75 yards: 1st E. Flego (A.). 2nd D. Tzambassi (N.W.). 3rd L. Brosnan (L.).

—12 75 yards: 1st L. Ritter (N.W.). 2nd S. Haslam (A.). 3rd E. Yates (L.).

—13 75 yards: 1st L. Flego (A.). 2nd N. Farrugia (N.). 3rd L. Gunston (L.).

**HURDLES:**  
—10 60 yards: 1st J. Gittens (W.N.). 2nd J. Heyen (A.). 3rd S. Hardy (We.).

—11 60 yards: 1st K. Rice (A.). 2nd L. Webb (S.). 3rd H. Phillips (W.N.).

—12 60 yards: 1st K. White (G.D.). 2nd A. Fel-lows (W.). 3rd S. Aitken (We.).

**RELAY RACES:**  
—14 4 x 75 yds: 1st Al-tona North. 2nd Laverton. 3rd Werribee.

—11 4 x 75 yds: 1st Altona. 2nd Newport West. 3rd Werribee.

—12 4 x 75 yds: 1st La-verton. 2nd Werribee. 3rd Altona West.

**SKIP BALL:**  
Under 10: 1st Altona North. 2nd Werribee. 3rd Altona East.

Under 11: 1st Werribee. 2nd Seaholme. 3rd Glen De- von.

Open: 1st Seaholme. 2nd Werribee. 3rd Altona North.

**CROSS BALL:**  
Under 10: 1st Altona East. 2nd Seaholme. 3rd Altona West.

Under 11: 1st W'town North. 2nd Newport West. 3rd Werribee.

Under 12 (R): 1st New- port West. 2nd Altona East. 3rd W'town North.

**BOYS:**  
Triple Jump —11: 1st A. Gibson (W.N.). 2nd J. van den Oever (N.W.). 3rd E. Dusink (A.N.).

Triple Jump —12 (R): 1st S. Vasil (N.W.). 2nd A. Mar- tin (S.). 3rd R. Hubble (A.W.).

Long Jump —11: 1st A. Helamba (N.W.). 2nd M. Menichelli (A.E.). 3rd B. Muldowney (W.N.).

Long Jump —12: 1st M. Wilson (N.W.). 2nd P. Frost (S.). 3rd L. Elms (A.E.).

High Jump —11 (R): 1st A. Sims (W.N.). 2nd P. Amos (A.). 3rd J. Lucas (N.W.).

High Jump —12: 1st G. Hancock (A.). 2nd D. Ar- gent (L.N.). 3rd M. Curtis (S.).

**FLAT RACES:**  
—8 50 yards: 1st P. Dicks (L.N.). 2nd M. Mason (We.). 3rd C. Yeoman (W.N.).

—9 50 yards: 1st M. Vi- vien (We.). 2nd G. Sullivan (S.). 3rd G. Rohleder (A.W.).

—10 75 yards: 1st B. Dodd (A.W.). 2nd D. Bowler (L.). 3rd L. Perrins (W.).

—11 75 yards: 1st M. Fle- ming (L.). 2nd W. Groome (A.). 3rd M. Brown (S.).

—12 100 yards: 1st G. Ravenscroft (W.). 2nd T. Paone (S.). 3rd G. Crawley (We.).

—13 100 yards: 1st E. Massa (We.). 2nd J. Daly (G.D.). 3rd L. Camelotti (W.N.).

**HURDLES:**  
—10 60 yards: 1st S. Cal- leja (L.). 2nd C. Howard (A.W.). 3rd K. Wilson (L.N.).

—11 60 yards: 1st J. Nash (L.). 2nd B. Taylor (W.N.). 3rd S. Kinnear (G.D.).

—12 60 yards: 1st P. Ap- pruzese (A.E.). 2nd M. Ca- galj (W.). 3rd S. Parkin (S.).

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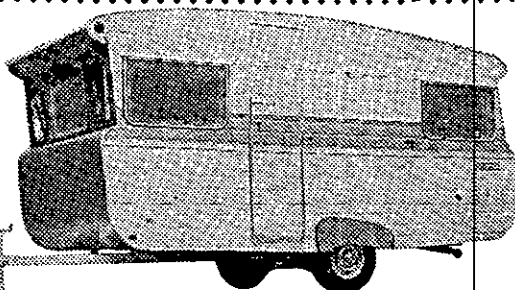
## Young Highland Dancer Wins Second Victorian Championship

For the second year running, seven-year-old Anne Heriot won the under 8 years championship at the Victorian Championships of the Highland and National Dancers Association, held last Satur- day.

Anne was placed first by 3 different judges, in all three dances which decided the championship, the Highland Fling, the Shean Truis and the Irish Jig. Other local children to perform well were Robyn Campbell, 3rd place in the Under 8 Highland Fling, Leanne Campbell, 1st place in the Under 10 High- land Fling, Kay Heriot, 2nd in the Under 12 High- land Fling and Jan Erskine and Janet Tilt were 2nd and 3rd respectively in the Under 16 Highland Fling.

During the presentation of trophies, Anne's mother, Mrs. Pat Heriot, was presented with a sheath of flowers as a token of thanks for the \$50 donation for trophies which she raised by holding a fashion parade on September 20.

To complete a great championship day, Mr. Allen Heriot and wife Pat, were hosts to 60 guests at a barbecue held at their home. The highlight of the night was when Mrs. Jessie Norman of Seaholme danced the Highland Fling. Mrs. Norman is one of Victoria's top Highland dancing judges, but on this occasion it was her turn to be judged by no less than 20 child dancers.



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Support for Bobby Skilton will come from Stuart Wag- staff (The Beast), Sue Beck- er (A.B.C. Physical Fit- ness Expert), Denny Willis of Black and White Min- strels, plus two leading Jockeys and a Trainer yet to be announced. Eric Pearce will comper and Rosemary Margan will be receptionist, both by cour- tesy of G.T.V. Channel 9.

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Mayor of Footscray, Cr. R. Bassett 391-5111 Ext. 3402.  
Ted Whitten — A/H 391-2262.  
John Jillard — 68-4771 (Business).

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All preliminary work on the western approaches to the Lower Yarra crossing will be completed by the Country Roads Board during the 1968/69. year.

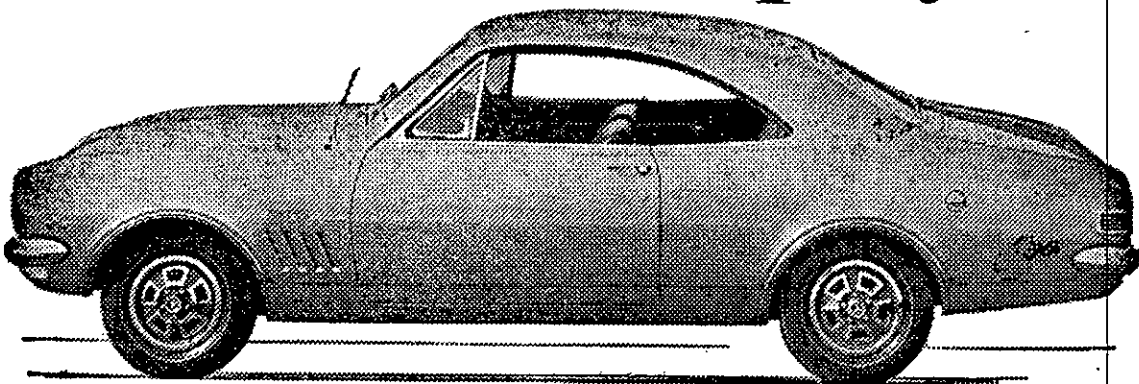
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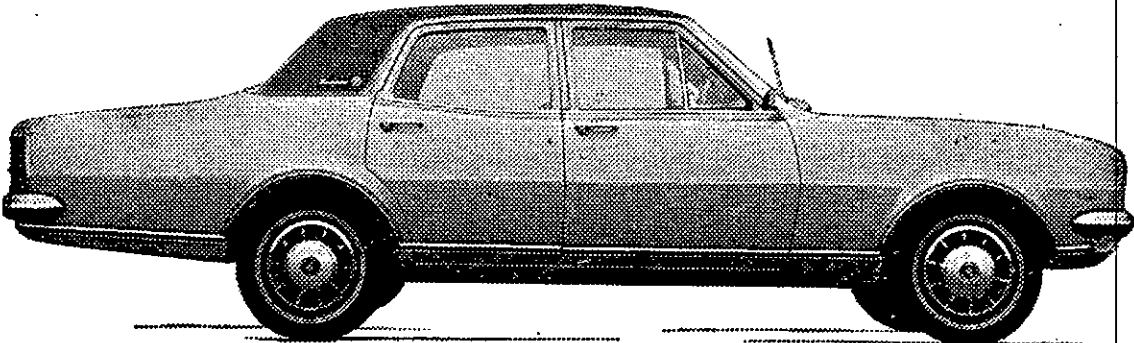
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## Two Break National Service Regulations

Charges against two youths who did not comply with the regulations as regards National Service were adjourned for twelve months in Williamstown Court last week.

Savious Bartolo of Mills Street, Altona North, was charged with failing to attend for medical examination. He pleaded not guilty.

Const. Michael Phelan of the Commonwealth Police told the Court he interviewed defendant. Bartolo admitted that he had been notified to attend for medical examination on February 2 and again on February 22.

Bartolo told him he could not get there on work days. He had written and asked if he could go on a Saturday but received no reply. Bartolo made a statement to the court that he had phoned the department, and was told if he could not go on a work day he could go on a Saturday.

Mr. J. F. Kean, S.M. said to him, "You could have gone on a work day?"

Bartolo: The boss would have chucked me out if I did."

Mr. Kean: "What, because you had to go for Army call-up?"

Bartolo said he was a meat worker and had not asked if he could have the time off.

Mr. Kean adjourned the matter for 12 months upon Bartolo, entering into a \$30 good behaviour bond and paying \$19.80 costs.

The other case concerned Mesud Bajramovic of Netta

Street, Altona North, who was a year late in submitting a registration form. Const. Ronald Harris of the Commonwealth Police Force, stated that defendant should have registered within 14 days of January 23, 1967.

He did not register until March, 1968. Asked why he did not register at the correct time Bajramovic replied, "I did not register because I do not write English any good and I thought if you do not have any family over here you do not have to register."

Bajramovic told the court through an interpreter that he was in Australia on a passport for five years. If he had known he would have to register for National Service he would not have come here.

When he goes back to Yugoslavia he will have to register for Army Service there.

An officer of the Department of Labor and National Service informed the court that if Bajramovic made application to leave Australia and was willing to do so straight away, he would be granted permission to leave.

Mr. Kean adjourned the case for 12 months, upon defendant entering into a \$30 good behaviour bond and paying \$20.12 costs.

### TEN-PIN BOWLING RESULTS

Altona Central Ladies' League games played October 8, 1968:  
Team Standings:

	W.	L.	Total
Loys			
Lemonade	87	41	64,718
Brobergs			
Chemist	81½	46½	64,381
Roberts			
Nurseries	80	48	63,901
M. & D.			
Homes	73	55	62,850
7X	72	56	63,586
Grand			
Cinema	61½	66½	61,609
Central			
Hotel	55	73	61,557
Team 6	20	108	47,699

High game: K. White 220 (LL). P. Griffiths 185 (BC). High series: K. White 528 (LL). P. Griffiths 475 (BC). High game: J. McHall 193 (RN). B. Cox 171 (MD). High series: J. McHale 545 (RN). B. Cox 469 (MD). High game: G. Copeland 171 (7X). P. Bolase 168 (GC). High series: G. Copeland 468 (7X). P. Bolase 426 (GC). High game: O. Williams 178 (CH). H. Hume 170 (TB). High series: O. Williams 427 (CH). H. Hume 437 (TB).

### Altona Under 12's in Victoria Cup

#### Soccer Final

The Altona Under 12 Soccer team will play J.U.S.T. U 12's on Sunday, at Middle Park, in the final of the Victoria Cup. This will be the second year running that Altona have reached the final.

Three players from last year's side are left in the team and it has been a good performance by the boys who have gone through the season without losing a game.

It is hoped a good crowd of supporters will go to the match, which commences at 1.30 p.m. at Middle Park, South Melbourne.

The boys hope to bring yet another Cup back to Altona.

Saturday's games are: Super League Under 12 Altona v. St. Albans. Altona U 14 v. Bayswater. On Sunday, Altona U 14 v. Sunshine City.

The Junior Soccer Club Presentation night will be held at the Methodist Hall, Seves Street, on Saturday, October 19. All junior players are welcome and are asked to be at the hall at 4.30 p.m.

### MIXED RESULTS FOR LADY BOWLERS

Altona Ladies pennant bowling teams so far have had mixed success.

The number one team has yet to lose having won all four matches played since the season began.

But players in the number two team have only won one and lost three.

Pennant results last week were —

**Pennant:**

No. 1 Pennant team defeated Brunswick.

E. Martin, B. Tribe, C. Ford, R. Fisher 28-18. G. MacKellar, P. Stephens, I. Probert, P. Gischus 46-7.

J. Milliken, V. Turner, J. McNeillage, J. Douglas 25-17. M. Dowdell, E. Russell, L. Walsh, E. Olliver 22-12.

No. 2 team were defeated. I. Gibson, V. Douglas, E. Bever, D. Gadsden 27-26. B. Dart, K. Bray, L. Cox, W. Neal 14-28.

S. Thompson, L. Tucker, R. Shaw, A. Newton 26-21. E. Thomas, B. Neal, M. Andress, M. Woodyard 11-23.

The Club is desperately short of pennant players. Any lady who can make herself available for matches is asked to contact the pennant selectors.

#### Club News:

Mrs. Maisie Blair is home again recuperating after being a patient in Williamstown Hospital.

Ladies of the Club appreciated the Shire President's kind invitation to attend the Council Meeting on Monday night.

Donations are required for the Christmas stocking and a notice is on the board for the club championships.

A number of bowlers from Newport visited Altona last Sunday for a pleasant afternoon bowling in the sunshine.

The roster for afternoon tea at the men's pennant for Saturday, October 19, is B. Tribe, V. Turner, E. Olliver, D. Hill. And ladies rostered for tidying the clubhouse on October 21 are: R. Shaw, L. Cox, M. Woodyard.

From now on the Club will provide afternoon tea for Sunday afternoon bowlers. But on special days the ladies will be required to bring a plate of sandwiches.

### Training Resumed for Lifesavers

Members of the Life Saving Club are asked to note that training has now commenced on Monday night.

All members who are going for Bronze Medallion and over are to attend at 7 p.m. Members are also reminded that fees are now due for season 1968-69. The secretary will be in attendance on Monday, October 18.

### ON THE GREEN By UP-SHOT

A'Lack, A'Loss, calamity struck the Altona Bowling Club on Saturday, October 12, in the second round of Pennant, when all sides failed to score a win. Only 3 rinks of the 12 rinks that played were able to show a win.

This does not mean that the bowling ability of the members has slipped, but on the day, they were beaten by better bowlers. So now we are looking forward to the 3rd round of Pennant next Saturday when we will show our ability to come back and win.

**No. 1 Side (Away) to**

**Buckley Park**

G. Russell, W. Walsh, D. Nettleton, J. Stephens 12-29. J. Fisher, S. Cartons, W. Crofts, L. Craig 18-36. A. Molloy, I. Douglas, D. Waters, P. Whitmore 15-37. J. Mather, R. Don, F. Neilson, G. McNeillage 24-27. Total: 69-129.

**No. 2 Side (Home) to**

**Rosamond**

R. Watson, B. Harrison, T. McMahon, L. Thorney-

croft 28-22; C. McDonald, T. Burke, J. Flynn, R. Douglas 35-18; L. O'Donnell, W. Condon, W. Probert, H. Blair 14-33; L. Cox, A. Hill, C. Williams, E. Franks 22-23; Total: 99-106.

**No. 3 Side (Home) to**

**Reservoir**

J. Carr, J. Cox, D. Nicholls, J. Clark 11-31; S. Pilcher, H. Martin, B. Nicholls, D. McKellar 15-21; F. Douglas, K. Andress, D. Brett, J. Buckley 18-21; W. Inglis, J. Newton, P. Kelly, R. Allen 40-13; Total: 84-86.

**No. 4 Side — Bye.**

Played Bankers against each other winning Rink and Trophy, L. Smith, J. Borer, L. Nettleton. P.S.: Up-Shot won by 27 shots up.

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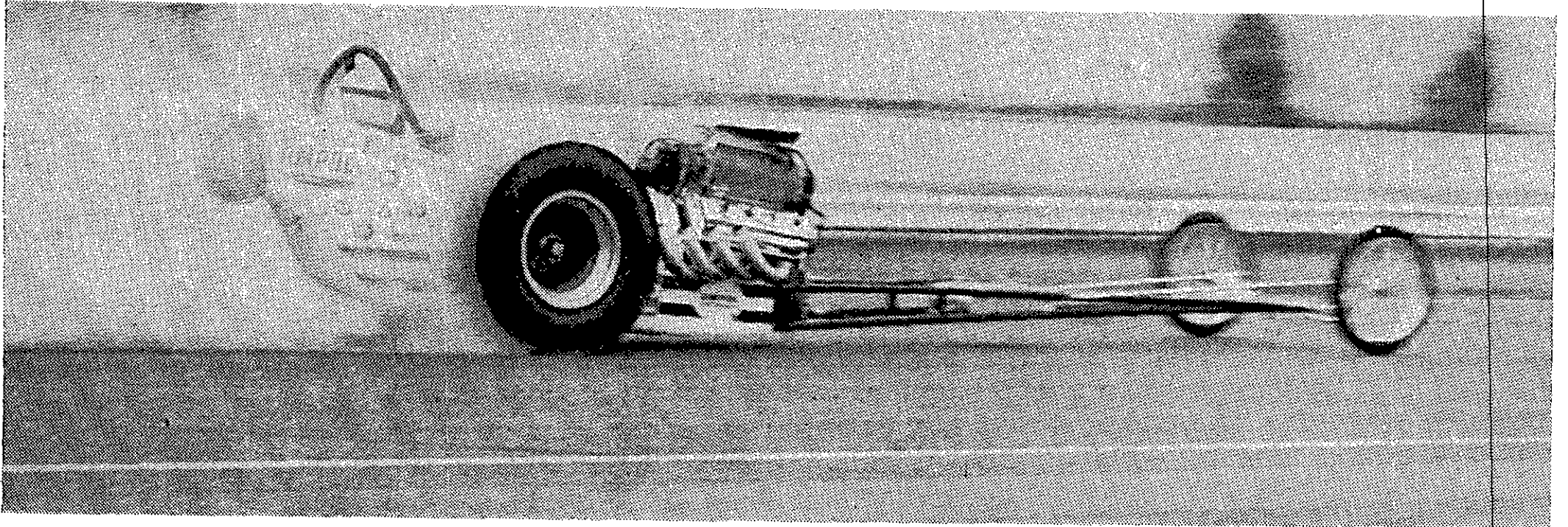
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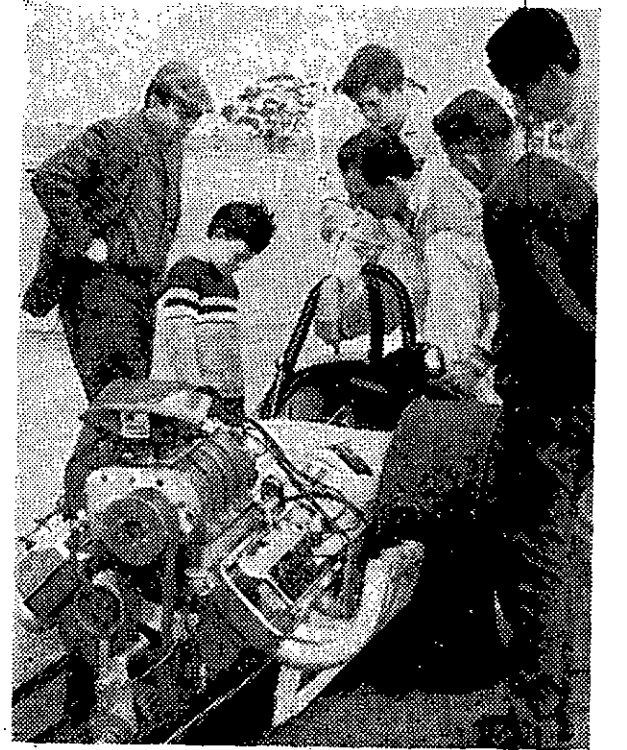
The dragster consists of a pair of bicycle wheels attached by long and frail-looking pipes to a big super-charged V8 engine.

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# CRICKET REPORT

## SUCCESSFUL DINNER DANCE HELD BY SCHOOL

The Dinner Dance held recently by the Altona North State School at the Central Hotel, proved to be even more pleasant and successful than the 3 previous ones.

The Shire President, Mr. W. L. J. Crofts, and Mrs. Crofts, were present. Mr. Crofts addressed the guests and said how delighted they were to be able to join in such a happy gathering. He then added an invitation to the Mothers' Club to be his guests at a Council Meeting early in November.

The evening went with a swing with non-stop entertainment, starting off with the Mothers' Club Choir rendering yet another cheery school song. They sang "Variety is the Spice of Life".

Once again the M.C.'s job was in the enthusiastic but capable hands of Steve Clements.

Everyone is now looking forward to next year's get-together, as this annual event makes a wonderful opportunity for the Head Master (Mr. Madden) and his staff to meet and mix with parents in a friendly atmosphere.

## Tickets Still Available for Christmas Stocking

Tickets for the Christmas Stocking being raffled by the Altona Spastic Aid Committee will be available until October 31.

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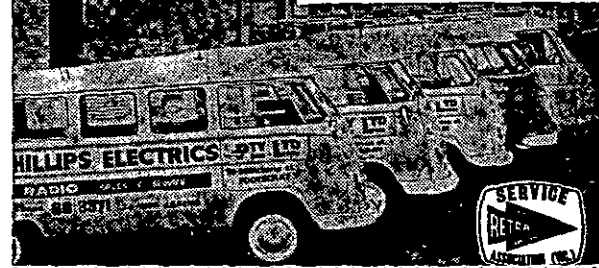
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## Return of Batman or Altona Cricket Club Social News

The cries of the footie crowds have died away and the CRICKET season is under way, one cannot help waxing poetic. The Altona Cricket Club have entered the Victorian Junior Cricket Association and with the best wishes of all club members, the three teams are looking forward to another successful season. Already all three sides have won their first game.

A.C.C. made local history last year with three teams in the Grand Finals and their "A" grade team carrying off the Premiership.

The Social Committee also swung into action on Saturday, October 5, and with the assistance of the Ladies' Committee organised a Social evening for visitors and members. The new portable dance floor and tables and chairs kindly lent by the R.S.L. Club improved the amenities tremendously and are obviously a must for future functions.

The rumour that Ron McCullagh was retiring from cricket proved to be unfounded, he started it himself to frighten everyone. It is true that he is devoting a lot of time to his young daughter Kerry's swimming training. Might have a future champion there. However Ron says he will still be a target for cricket balls.

Is Bill Douglas building a caravan or a Hot Dog stand? He has been heard to comment that he may be back at the creases after Christmas.

You too can appear in the Club rooms in sartorial splendour, club ties, pocket badges and lapel badges are still available from Bud Harris or Ken Winfield.

— BATMAN.

## All Teams Have Outright Wins

Altona justified their entry into V.J.C.A. ranks when upon completion of the first round all Grades could report that they had successfully converted their positions from the previous week into outright victories.

"A" Grade defeated Youlden Kensington by 10 wickets, "B" Grade defeated North Richmond by 79 runs, whilst "C" Grade defeated Seddon by 7 wickets. If this form can be continued, Altona's First Season in the V.J.C.A. could be one to be remembered.

"A" GRADE REPORT  
Captain coach John Cooney, after inspecting the wicket at Grant Reserve and finding it to be soft, immediately declared Altona's first innings closed at 5 for 175. Youlden Kensington were soon in trouble when Bob Dare had Hawks-worth caught behind with the score at 7. Captain George Maloney came to the crease and with grim determination began to get on top of the bowling. Terry Gray of the bowling brought into the attack and very quickly had 3 wickets including a doubtful decision against Maloney who had compiled a good 53.

From 5 for 90 Youlden Kensington were all out for 109 with Bruce Waghorn cleaning up the tail. Requiring 10 runs to win, John Cooney and Bob Leod had no trouble in obtaining the runs although some quick footwork was required from Cooney to hit the winning run.

Youlden-Kensington —	
1st Innings 75.	
Altona — 1st Innings	
5 dec. 175.	
Youlden-Kensington —	
2nd Innings:	
Burnell c. Gray .....	19
Hawksworth c. Dare .....	1
Maloney l.b.w. Gray .....	53
Lockhart c. Gray .....	5
Doughty c. Gray .....	5
Graham c. Waghorn .....	12
Ridd c. Gray .....	1
Smart bl. Waghorn .....	2
England l.b.w. Waghorn .....	2
Harrison c. Waghorn .....	2
Noonan n.o. ....	3
Sundries .....	6
TOTAL .....	109

BOWLING: Dare 1/7; Gray 5/29; Waghorn 4/31.	
Altona — 2nd Innings:	
Cooney n.o. ....	9
McLeod n.o. ....	1
Sundries .....	10

### "B" GRADE REPORT

North Richmond resuming at 8/59 chasing Altona's 145 were soon dismissed when Wayne Norman and John Duncan both claimed a wicket each. Altona with a lead of 81 runs were in a good position to force an outright win when their 2nd Innings began. However North Richmond were not to be denied and soon had six Altona batsmen back in the pavilion with the score at 21. Rodney Gray and Bruce Forrester temporarily stopped the rot with a partnership of 17, however when Forrester was dismissed the end was not far off and Altona were all out for 43. North Richmond beginning their 2nd Innings fared even worse, due to some good bowling by Duncan and Norman and had soon lost 5 for 16. Frank Kirk came on and soon obtained 2 quick wickets to have North Richmond all out for a dismal 45.

Altona — 1st Innings 145.	
North Richmond resumed	
at 8 for 59.	
D. McKenzie c. Norman 35	
Tobias c. Duncan .....	1
McCusker n.o. ....	4
Sundries .....	4
TOTAL .....	64

BOWLING: Norman 5/18; Conradi 4/18; Duncan 1/16.	
Altona 2nd Innings:	
Kirk c. J. McKenzie .....	0
Thomas bl. J. McKenzie .....	0

Bibby l.b.w. J. McKenzie .....	6
Joyce c. J. McKenzie .....	4
Gray n.o. ....	12
Orr l.b.w. D. McKenzie .....	3
Egan l.b.w. J. McKenzie .....	3
Forrester c. Mann .....	11
Duncan c. Mann .....	2
Conradi l.b.w. J. McKenzie .....	2
Norman bl. J. McKenzie .....	0
Sundries .....	3
TOTAL .....	43

BOWLING: J. McKenzie 7/19; D. McKenzie 1/19; J. Mann 2/4.	
North Richmond 2nd Innings:	
Grow bl. Duncan .....	1
Cotter l.b.w. Norman .....	2
McCusker B. bl. Norman .....	5
Bonnyman l.b.w. Norman .....	8
McKenzie J. l.b.w. Duncan .....	0
Mann bl. Duncan .....	0
McKenzie c. Duncan .....	5
Foster c. Kirk .....	17
McKenzie P. c. Norman .....	2
McCusker K. bl. Kirk .....	4
Tobias n.o. ....	0
Sundries .....	1
TOTAL .....	45

BOWLING: J. Duncan 4/28; N. Norman 4/12; F. Kirk 2/4.	
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### "C" GRADE REPORT

Altona resuming at 4 for 95 chasing Seddon's 132 lost an additional 2 wickets before their target was achieved, upon having reached their target quick runs were the order of the day and of course wickets fell fairly quickly too until such time as Altona were all out for a well made 158. Seddon with a deficit of 2 runs, started their 2nd Innings disastrously due to some excellent bowling by Ron McCullagh who in his first four overs had four wickets and Seddon at this stage were 5 for 24.

Bob Harrison and Ron Cook also bowled well and each obtained 3 wickets to have Seddon all out for 69 thus leaving Altona 44 runs for victory. These runs were obtained in good fashion particularly by Max Stephens who finished with 20 not out made in very quick time.

Seddon 1st Innings 132.

Altona resumed at 4 for 95:	
Stephens c. Carey .....	30
Chalmers std. Carey .....	13
Harrison std. Carey .....	13
Cook r.o. Carey .....	8
Reid c. Copland .....	14
Ford r.o. ....	0
Bruce std. Carey .....	6
Davies n.o. ....	2
Sundries .....	25
TOTAL .....	158

BOWLING: Warnecke 1/45; Charmichael 1/25; Carey 4/32; Copland 2/30.	
Seddon 2nd Innings:	
Woods c. McCullach .....	5
Warnecke R. c. Cook .....	4
Luscombe bl. McCullach .....	1
Copland c. Cook .....	9
Hawkins l.b.w. McCullach .....	8
Baker bl. McCullach .....	0
Dimitrovic l.b.w. Harrison .....	7
Harrison .....	16
Charmichael std. Harrison .....	4
Carey c. Cook .....	4
Woods bl. Harrison .....	6
Warnecke J. n.o. ....	7
Sundries .....	2
TOTAL .....	69

BOWLING: McCullach 4/19; Cook 3/22; Harrison 3/19.	
Altona 2nd Innings:	
McCullach c. Carey .....	2
Lewis c. Carey .....	10
Chalmers r.o. ....	2
Stephens n.o. ....	20
Grassby n.o. ....	3
Sundries .....	3
TOTAL .....	45

## CHURCH CRICKET

Altona Presbyterian v. Kingsville Bap., at Ford Reserve.

Altona Presbyterian	
1st Innings: 83.	
Kingsville Bap.	
1st Innings:	
(Resumed at 4/68, Scobie 13 n.o. Parke 4 n.o.)	
Scobie b. Wilson .....	28
Parke b. Wilson .....	5
Brown b. Wilson .....	10
Hardman b. Wilson .....	1
Taylor l.b.w. Wilson .....	4
Stirling b. Drane .....	25
Peace n.o. ....	1
Sundries .....	16
TOTAL .....	127

BOWLING: M. Harris 2/18; A. Wilson 5/25; Hitchcock 0/26; Drane 1/2.	
With A. Wilson in fine form with 5/25 and 42 Altona managed to avoid outright defeat.	

Altona Pres. 2nd Innings:	
Diener c. Cass .....	14
Hitchcock l.b.w. Beard .....	13
Hatfall c. Beard .....	3
G. Wilson b. Beard .....	42
J. Harris c. Scoble .....	1
Drane c. Scoble .....	2
M. Harris c. Beard .....	5
McKinney c. Vickery .....	37
J. Wilson b. Scoble .....	0
Jones n.o. ....	4
Bleazby n.o. ....	10
Sundries .....	9
TOTAL .....	9 for 136

BOWLING: Cass 1/11; Beard 4/48; Scoble 3/20; Vickery 1/5.	
Kingsville Baps. won on first innings by 44 runs.	
St. Eanswythes v. Tottenham Baptists at Henry Turner.	

Tottenham Bapt. 2nd Innings:	
Haskell .....	1
White c. Holden .....	0
Brown c. Holden .....	2
Just c. Stephenson .....	34
McInnes b. Holden .....	4
Richter b. Haskell .....	1
Brown std. B. Garde .....	0
Oliver c. B. Garde .....	12
Barrot c. B. Garde .....	0
Govan c. & B. Garde .....	2
McAlinden n.o. ....	2
Sundries .....	12
TOTAL .....	70

BOWLING: Haskell 2/10; Holden 3/20; B. Garde 3/17; Stephenson 1/11.	
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St. Eanswythes' 2nd Innings:	
Wynands n.o. ....	2
T. Morton c. White .....	0
Oram b. White .....	4
Oram n.o. ....	4
Sundries .....	5
TOTAL .....	2 for 11

BOWLING: White 2/5; St. Eanswythes won outright.	
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Altona Presbyterian v. St. Stephen's at Ford Reserve.	
Altona Pres. 1st Innings (Resumed at 7/31, Wilson 5 n.o., Bowes 1 n.o.)	
A. Wilson b. P. Norman 6	
T. Bowes b. D. Norman 3	
A. Bowes c. D. Norman 3	
S. Swift n.o. ....	0
Sundries .....	9
TOTAL .....	37

BOWLING: P. Norman 6/9; D. Norman 4/12; Higgins 0/5.	
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St. Stephen's 1st Innings 40.	
Altona Pres. — 2nd Innings:	
Hitchcock b. D. Norman .....	0
McKinney b. P. Norman 13	
G. Wilson b. D. Norman 0	
Jensen n.o. ....	0
Bawden b. D. Norman 2	
A. Wilson n.o. ....	0
Sundries .....	2
TOTAL .....	4 for 17

BOWLING: P. Norman 1/2; D. Norman 3/13 (inc. hat-trick).	
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St. Stephen's 2nd Innings:	
Cley b. G. Wilson .....	5
Taylor c. Swift .....	4
Couch b. Hitchcock .....	7
H. Norman b. Hitchcock .....	9
P. Norman b. G. Wilson .....	1
Higgins b. G. Wilson .....	0
D. Norman b. Hitchcock .....	1
G. Knight b. Hitchcock .....	0
West c. & b. Jensen .....	0
W. Norman n.o. ....	1
Sundries .....	10
TOTAL .....	38

BOWLING: G. Wilson 4/13; Hitchcock 4/11; Jensen 1/4.	
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## Car on Fire on Kororoit Creek Road

Altona Fire Brigade was called last Friday night to put out a car fire in Kororoit Creek Road.

Beneath the car, an older model Morris Major, was a 4 gallon drum which apparently had been on the road and run over by the car.

The car caught alight but the driver was unharmed.

The actual cause of the fire is unknown. When extinguished firemen could not ascertain whether the drum branded methylated spirit was full or empty, or new or just an old discarded drum from the paddock.

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## STARS SAINTS and SINNERS

### Ron Coleman at Sydney's Waratah Festival

"There were horses, marching girls, disc jockeys, sheepdogs,  
Miss San Francisco, Barry Crocker and even Colonel Crint".

They were all there at Sydney's Waratah Festival 1968. There were the mounted police, regimental bands, pop groups, marching girls, clowns, disc jockeys and celebrities like Miss San Francisco, Ward Austin, Barry Crocker, Juanita Nielsen, John Melouny and er would you believe Colonel Crint and the Queen's Own Regimental Foot and Mouth Deserter?

Some 750,000 people turned out to watch fifty floats and forty bands parade through the streets for over an hour and a half as a climax to the week-long Waratah Festival.

The parade was led on by the Royal Australian Infantry Band which played a very "with it" sounding version of the Beatles' standard, "I Wanna Hold Your Hand".

And who should be in the second rank of drummers but Norm Medley from Williamstown (patrons of the "Rifle" will no doubt remember Norm pounding away on skins). The men in red and black were followed on by the Royal Australian Naval Band which played the more conservative number, "Puff the Magic Dragon".

Then followed the Mounted Police, working sheepdogs, vintage cars, German shepherd dogs (one of which tried to take a chunk of my leg) and so many different bands that it would be impossible to name them all.

Top Sydney dee-jays Ward Austin and John Melouny waved the flag for 2UW by parading in a fleet of mini-motors, with 2UW plastered all over them, while the

newsmen from 2SM drove their regular minis. But it was Juanita Nielsen's psychedelic Fiat which raised the most attention. Juanita Nielsen, editor of Sydney's "Now" newspaper rode on the top of the car which is often seen fitting around Sydney and Kings Cross delivering copies of "Now".

The smiling face of Barry Crocker dominated a float full of television celebrities from Sydney and Melbourne. And I realised why I had seen Barry at Essendon airport the previous Monday night. The Sydney's "New Faces" production team also had a float, and on it was a crazy looking band by the name of Colonel Crint and the Queen's Own Regimental Foot and Mouth Deserter. But this band is not quite as crazy as it sounds because it comprises musos from various bands who teamed up for the Sydney "New Faces" programme. Their success was similar to that of the Bonza Dog Doo Dah Band in Britain because they have received offers galore and may team up full time.

Another pop group I saw in the parade was the New City Blues Band. They drove past on the back of a truck which featured a go-go girl, in mink coat, dancing to the wail of organ music. The only other thing that remotely resembled a pop group was the great conglomeration of university students. The students were dressed in the garb of flower children. They carried a great variety of wind instruments by their side. But even if they were not genuine I must give them full marks for trying because the rose that landed in my camera case was not plastic.

Before the parade commenced, lollies, toys and copies of "Now" newspaper were thrown to the crowds and when the last of the floats had passed the Town Hall thousands of balloons were launched from the roof of Woolworths.

**NORMIE'S SHOW  
A RIOT**

Many people expected to see Normie Rowe in the parade but perhaps it was

just as well that he confined his activities to Hyde Park. Who said the army would kill Normie Rowe?

Normie appeared in a pop concert at Hyde Park but he had only sung one number when the power was cut off and police ordered the show to stop before there was an all-out riot. The trouble all started when screaming teenagers proceeded to tear down a five foot wire mesh fence. Poor Normie was quite upset by the whole affair and refused to stop the show. Consequently police threatened to arrest Normie's drummer if he did not stop playing and finally they souvenired his drum sticks. And more trouble broke out when Normie left Hyde Park on the top of a van. Teenagers chased after him down William Street. So by the looks of things, it has been a case of absence makes the heart grow fonder, with Trooper Rowe. All this has me wondering if it was really necessary to circulate 6,000 posters around Sydney publicising Normie's new record, "Open Up The Skies".

### NEW RECORD FOR THE IGUANA

The Iguana's next record is predicted to be the first record by an Australian group that will contain the new "underground" music. "Underground" music is the new breakaway from the bubble-gum type music which has been so dominant in the west coast of the U.S. recently.

### THE GROOP ARE BACK FROM BRITAIN

The 1967 Hoadley's Battle of the Sounds winners. The Groop, are back in Australia after a ten month stay in Britain. Part of their prize for winning the Battle of Sounds was the return boat fare to Britain.

The Groop arrived back in Melbourne last week disappointed with their efforts in Britain but enthusiastic for a return trip as soon as possible. During their stay in Britain, Paul Jones (formerly of Manfred Mann) recorded "When I Was Six Years Old", a number that was originally written by The Groop for Ronnie Burns, the Melbourne pop star.

The fellows also had their recording, "Woman You're Breaking Me", released in the U.S. but it crashed there, so they are back in Australia to release "Maid of Iron". It looks as though the boys have lost a good bass guitarist in Max Ross. But that's if they have lost him.

I say this because Max arrived back here a few weeks before the rest of The Groop. Meanwhile manager Peter Mackenzal is left with the headache of sorting out the Groop's contract with CBS recording company.

### THE SYDNEY SCENE

Sydney group, The Jamb star in "Ski Australia", a 20 minute film which has been made for West German television. The boys have been playing at the snow for a while and they are writing and playing the sound track of the film.

Many of you have been wondering where Barry McAskill and the Levi Smith's Clefs got to. Well, they are still playing at the "Whisky Au Go-Go", in King's Cross. Also in Sydney at the moment is drummer Tony Buttelle (ex Bay City Union). Tony took a job playing at the Whisky Au Go-Go.

Another disco at the Cross is Sir John's.

The Flying Circus have signed a contract with EMI.

O. C. Smith is currently the height of popularity in Sydney he has been interviewed by just about everybody in town.

Melbourne groups the Cherries and the Groove are really doing well at all Sydney dances and discos at the moment.

The Plastic tears were nearly in tears recently when Jouts broke up one of their dances.

The Elliot Gordon have been heavily booked since their recent return to the Sydney scene.

Phil Jones had trouble with a broken arm recently. Watch out for his new record soon.

The Mecca are preparing themselves for a trip to Sydney.

Guest group at the Whisky Au Go-Go last week was Gus and the House. Gus formed the House after his split with the Nomads.

Influence of Cecil Rhodes have new singer from Britain.

### ANOTHER SEEKER GOES SOLO

It seems uncanny, but the Seekers look like being equally as big as soloists. Athol Guy has returned to Melbourne to bring out his own television show, Bruce Woodley has turned to song-writing (he has written the new Bill and Boyd record), Judy Durham is in America recording material that she hopes will build a bright nightclub future for her and now Keith Potger is back in Australia to negotiate a television show. Keith is also a solo singer now and his new record, a ballad, will be released in December, when the Seeker's recording contract has expired. Meanwhile Keith has plans to produce six hour specials for television. He intends to use both known and unknown British and Australian groups. So while he might feature a big name like Tom Jones or Englebert Humperdinck he will also give up and coming Australian groups screening in Britain and Australia. Indeed his proposed television show could be just the break Australian talent has been waiting for. Let's all hope so.

### WHAT'S NEW BABY?

(A survey of the entertainment scene here and overseas).

Will Tony Buttelle (ex-Bay City Union) join up with the Levi Smith Clefs in Sydney?

Peter Saunders, another drummer, (ex Iguana) is now with the Bands Corps of the Australian Army. And the Iguana should be due back from the Gold Coast soon.

Singer Johnny O'Keefe has traded his Jaguar in on a brand new red Pontiac Firebird, capable of speeds up to 150 miles per hour. Somebody's Image record "Hush" is doing reasonably well in America.

Whatever happened to Ken Sparkes?

In America the scene still continues to shift back from the West Coast to places like New York, Boston and Chicago. At Fillmore East, New York, some of the largest pop concerts in the world are being held every week.

Is it any wonder that groups like the Cream and the Traffic spend all their time there?

It will be interesting to hear the Russell Morris composition, "Paper Walls".

Mike Barnett reports that the Daisy Clover will be bringing out their first record soon.

Any 50-50 group that is not making enough money in Melbourne is assured of plenty of work around the Sydney gigs.

New Zealand group, The Cleves, could have a bright future in front of them. They have just taken over from the Cherries at Sydney's exciting "Here" disco.

When will Noel Rafferty write his first folk song?

Englebert Humperdinck, John Rowles and Keith Potger are continually being mistaken for each other.

### HANGING AROUND THE CROSS

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Last Saturday night two hippies under the influence of LSD walked past me worshipping a match-stick, two school-girls who had gone to see Normie bottled ten cents from me and this odd looking character walked past with a ball and chain padlocked to his leg.

### STAR'S TOP TEN

With the absence of a reliable top ten chart from this page the Star's record reviewer Scratch Track has compiled the special top ten. Be careful not to get too popular you may find yourself on the ratings one day.

1. Hoppers' Crossing P.T.A. — Dawn and Gunther.
2. Those Were the Days — Noel Raff and Joey.
3. 1-2-3 Red Light — Sticks Monaro.
4. People Got to be Free — Reg Swarbrick.
5. Hold on I'm Coming — Mick the Wild Barber.
6. I Met Her in Church — Throb and The Bruvvers.
7. Mr. Business Man — Teddy Dellemor.
8. To Wait For Love — Percy Jam Man.
9. Here Comes the Judge — Burt Lancaster.
10. Light My Fire — Graham Kennedy.

### YOUNG WIVES' ACTIVITIES

At the October meeting held by St. Eanswythe's Young Wives, they were again fortunate in having Mrs. Cheshire to address the meeting. The Mothers Union Subject this year is "Now is the time" and Mrs. Cheshire built her talk around the theme of Now is the time for caring and sharing for people and their burdens and troubles. She was, as always, an inspiration to listen to, also most entertaining and helpful.

The Bazaar is on October 25 and 26 and once again the Young Wives are running the cake stall. All members are asked to please get busy with the baking also wherever possible, to co-opt friends and neighbours who would like to help St. Eanswythe's in this way. For contributions to be collected contact T. Kin 398-2444 or Mrs. Barrow at Altona Toyland.

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## THANKS

Mr. J. R. JACKSON and family of 11 Gloucester Court, Seaholme, would like to thank all relatives and friends for the floral tributes, cards and expressions of sympathy on the sad loss of their wife and mother.

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DURING THE MONTH of October, 1968.

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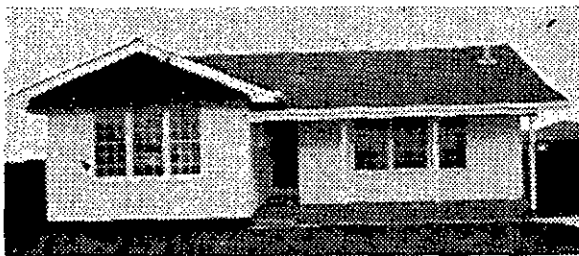
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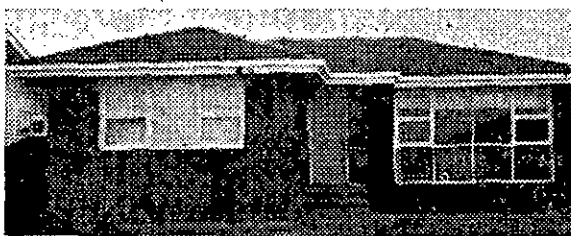
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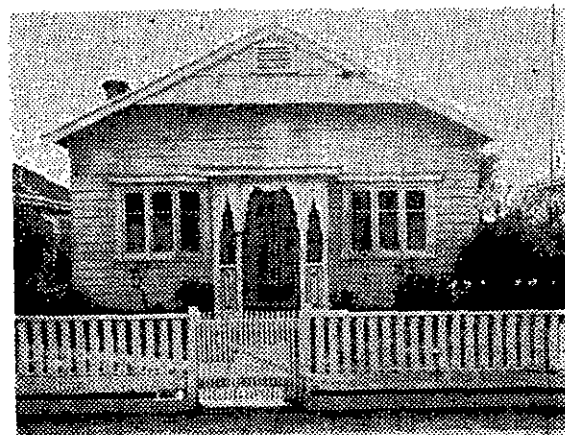
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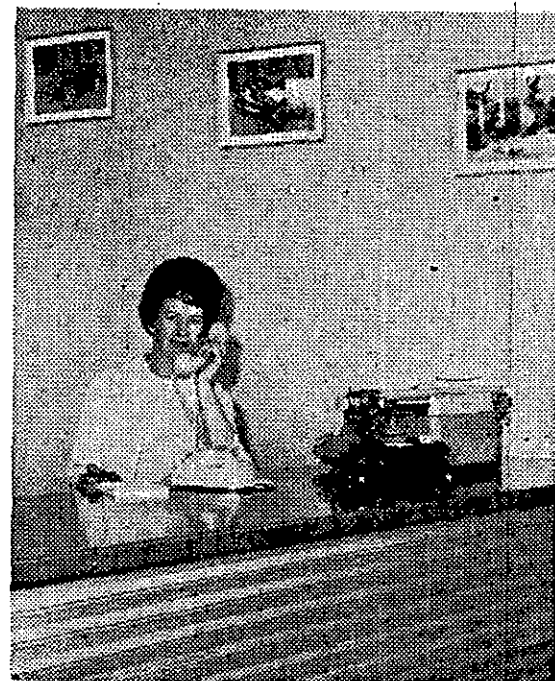
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